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NOTIFICATIONS.

ARRIVALS.

January 2. GALLIO, British steamer, 4,290, W. G. Pearce, San Francisco 14th December, and Yokohama 3rd January, Mails and General—O. & O. S. S. Co.

January 2. PEKING, Chinese steamer, 643, E. Piper, Forster, 5th January—CHINESE TELEGRAPH Co.

January 3. AMIGO, German steamer, 771, V. A. Brügel, Mauritius 22nd December, Bombay 15th December, and Singapore 28th, General—WILHELM & Co.

January 3. PEKING, Chinese steamer, 338, W. W. Whampoa 5th January, General—O. M. S. N. Co.

January 3. LENNOX, British steamer, 1,327 Swinerton, Nagasaki 5th January, Coal—ADAMSON, BELL & Co.

January 3. MARIA, German steamer, 74, C. A. Kunkel, Haiphong 6th January, and Palibot 17th General—A. R. MARTY.

January 3. DIAMOND, British steamer, 1,034, J. Lampert, Penang, and Singapore 20th December, General—BAU M. OH.

January 3. DIAMANTE, British steamer, 514, G. Taylor, Manila 3rd January, and Akyo 8th, General—RUSSEL & Co.

January 3. TRIDIMP, German steamer, 675, F. Moes, Toulon 6th January, Salt and General—WILHELM & Co.

CLEARANCES.

AT THE HARBOUR MASTER'S OFFICE.

9th JANUARY.

City of Rio de Janeiro, Amr. str., for Yokohama.

Balzac, British str., for Amoy.

Thales, British str., for Swatow.

Peking, Chinese str., for Shanghai.

Iphigenia, German str., for Singapore.

Satsuma, British bark, for Takan.

Strathmore, British ship, for San Francisco.

DEPARTURES.

January 8. PHIA CHOK KAO, British str., for Swatow.

January 8. SWALINE, German str., for Holow.

January 9. MEIPE, Chinese str., for Swatow.

January 9. CHOWFA, British str., for Bangkok.

January 9. AVALA, British str., for Vancouver.

January 9. CLYDE, British str., for Shanghai.

January 9. CITY OF BIE JAXEZO, Amr. str., for San Francisco.

January 9. PRINCIPAL, German str., for Hamburg.

January 9. FALKENBURG, German steamer, for Saigon.

January 9. YEHSHU, Chinese str., for Whampoa.

PASSENGERS.

ARRIVED.

Per Goode, str., from San Francisco, &c.—M. K. Craven, Rev. J. Carrington, Mrs. J. Siddall, Mrs. E. A. Guire, and child, Mrs. M. Dudley, Messrs. P. Carrington, D. J. Carrington, and 4 children, from San Francisco. From Tokyo, Mrs. S. Moore, Dr. A. G. Smith and native servants, and 4 children. From Antioch, str., from Mauritius, &c.—147 Chinese.

Per Triumph, str., from Toulon, 31 Chinese.

Per Diamond, str., from Straits, 700 Chinese.

Per Marie, str., from Haiphong, &c.—Messrs. Wilkinson and Echardson, priest, and 23 Chinese.

Per Diamonds, str., from Manila—Mr. D. Fleming, and 9 Chinese. From Amoy—Mr. J. J. Danus, Miss Dunn, and 39 Chinese.

DEPARTED.

Per City of Rio de Janeiro, for Yokohama—Miss H. V. Dixit, W. Williams, Chew Hing Win, and 1 child. For San Francisco—Rev. and Mrs. A. A. Fulton, 2 children and infant.

NOTICES.

The British steamer Lennox, from Nagasaki 5th January, reports bad light fair wind throughout.

The British steamer Diamond, from Penang, and Singapore, which received a report of strong N.E. wind, has altered her course and is bound to Hongkong N.E. gale and high seas.

The British steamer Diamond, from Manila 3rd January, and Amoy 8th, reports bad strong N.E. gale and very heavy sea to Amoy; from thence to port, moderate monsoon and low weather.

The British steamer Ceres, from San Francisco 14th December, and Yokohama 5th January, reports had light northerly wind and fine weather to Turnabout, and thence to port, light monsoon. Time, 3 days 3 hours 3 min. from Yokohama.

The German steamer Amigo, from Mauritius 22nd November, Bombay 12th December, and Singapore 28th, reports from 1st to 9th N.E. to Macassar, and then to Batavia, stormy weather and high running seas. Afterwards good monsoon. The last 36 hours had clear weather.

VESSELS PASSED ANJER.

December 14. Ned. str. Batavia, De Gruyter, Nov. 19, from Rotterdam for Batavia.

14. Ned. bark Noord V. Speenhoef, Aug. 30, from Rotterdam for Samarang.

14. Aus. ship Sea Witch, Tibbiss, Nov. 30, from Hongkong to New York.

14. Aus. bark Kronwijk, Dec. 14, from Batavia for Hobart.

14. British str. Ross, Flak, from Frederikshavn, J. G. C. Ross, Flak, from Coco Islands for Batavia.

14. Ned. bark Clara, Albrant, Aug. 5, from Amsterdam for Batavia.

14. Aus. str. Pribi Alexander, Bakker, Dec. 14, from Gorhion for Batavia.

14. Italian bark Nemo, Schindler, from Bangkok for Cadi.

17. British str. Pundua, Crot, Dec. 16, from Batavia for London.

18. British str. Dace, Stuart, Nov. 12, from London for Batavia.

21. Ned. str. Prins van Oranje, V. der Wende, Nov. 9, from Amsterdam for Batavia.

22. British ship Aeolus, Bonnet, Dec. 19, from Batavia for Chusan.

22. Ned. bark Sianet, De Jong, Dec. 20, from Batavia for Amsterdam.

22. Aus. bark Mabel, Snow, Dec. 3, from Hongkong for New York.

22. Aus. str. John Parker, Peter, Dec. 15, from Japan for New York.

22. Ned. str. Prins van Oranje, V. der Wende, Nov. 9, from Amsterdam for Batavia.

22. British ship Forest King, Doyle, from Hakodate for New York.

22. British coh. P. H. Bradford, Campbell, Nov. 23, from Singapore for Fremantle.

23. Ned. str. Goldband, Sharp, Dec. 23, from Batavia for Rotterdam.

SCOTCH WHISKY.

Really the best is CUTLERS' PALMER & Co's.

Because it is old and mature and rich.

Because it is quite free from fossil oil.

Because Physicians approve it as A. L. It is shipped Round, Square, and Heart Shaped Bottles.

Our Agents have Stocks of either.

Please apply to STEINER & Co.,

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Hongkong, 21st January, 1890.

NOTIFICATIONS.

STG. PAYABLE AT AGE 55.

£1,000 STG. Payable at Age 55, or at death if previous (even if that event occurs during the first twelve months) may be secured by a payment at the rate of—

7 6 per quarter if commenced at age (b)..... 29

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INTIMATION.

WINES AND SPIRITS.



BY APPOINTMENT,
WATSON & CO., LIMITED.
(ESTABLISHED A.D. 1841.)
HONGKONG.

We invite attention to the following old laudatory words, all of which are excellent quality and good for the money.
The same bottle specially selected by London House and bought direct from the most ad Shippers, are imported in wood and bottled ourselves, thus enabling us to supply the best wine at moderate prices.

In ordering it is only necessary to state the name and quantity of Wine or Spirit wanted, and the letter for quality desired.

Orders through Local Post or by Telegrams receive prompt attention.

PORTS. (For Invalids and general use.)

Per doz. Case. Per Bot.

A. Alto Douro, good quality, Green Capsule	\$10. 31.00
B. Vieux, superior quality, Red Capsule	12. 1.10
C. Fine Old Vintage, superior quality, Black Seal Capsule	14. 1.25
D. Very Fine Old Vintage, extra superior, Violet Capsule (Old Bottled)	15. 00
SHERRIES.	
A. Dalmatian Pale Dry, dinner wine, Green Capsule	6. 00
B. Superior Pale Dry, dinner wine, Green Seal Capsule	7. 00 0.75
C. Manzanilla, Pale, Natural Sherry, White Capsule	10. 1.00
CC. Superior Old Dry, Pale Natural Sherry, Red Seal Capsule	10. 1.00
D. Very Superior Old Pale Dry, choice old Wines, White Seal Capsule	12. 1.10
E. Extra Superior Old Pale Dry, very finest quality, Black Seal Capsule (Old Bottled)	14. 1.25
Per doz. Per Case. 2 doz. Quarts. Price.	

CLARETS.

A. Superior Breakfast Claret, Red Capsule	84. 50
B. Superior, Red Capsule	45. 00 5.00
C. St. Julian	7. 75.00
D. La Rose	11. 12.00

Per doz. Case. For Bot.

BRANDY.

A. Hennessy's Old Pale, Red Capsule
 512. 31.10 |

B. Superior Very Old Cognac, Red Capsule
 14. 1.25 |

C. Very Old Liqueur Cognac, Red Capsule
 18. 1.50 |

D. Hennessy's Finest Very Old Liqueur, Cognac, 1872
 21. 2.00 |

E. Hennessy's Old Pale, Red Capsule
 10. 1.00 |

SCOTCH WHISKY.

A. Thorne's Blend, White Capsule
 8. 0.75 |

B. Watson's Glenorchy Melange, Blend, Blue Capsule, with Name and Trade Mark
 8. 0.75 |

C. Watson's Abolur-Glenlivet, Red Capsule, with Name and Trade Mark
 8. 0.75 |

D. Watson's H. E. D. Blend of the Finest Scotch Malt Whiskies, Violet Capsule
 11. 1.00 |

E. Watson's Very Old Light Scotch Whisky, Gold Capsule
 12. 1.10 |

IRISH WHISKY.

A. John Jameson's Old, Green Capsule
 8. 0.75 |

B. John Jameson's Fine Old, Green Capsule
 10. 1.00 |

C. John Jameson's Very Fine Old, Green Capsule
 12. 1.10 |

GENUINE BOURBON WHISKY, fine old, Red Capsule, with Name
 10. 1.00 |

GIN.

A. Fine Old Old, White Capsule
 4. 50. 0.40 |

B. Fine Unpeated, White Capsule
 4. 50. 0.40 |

C. Fine A. V. H. Geneva
 25. 0.50 |

RUM.

Finest Old Jamaica, Violet Capsule
 12. 1.00 |

Guiana, Gold Coast Island, \$1.50 per Gallon.
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LIQUEURS.

Benedictine, Maraschino, Curacao, Herring's Cherry Cordial, Chartreuse, Dr. Siegert's Angostura Bitters, &c.
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TELEPHONE NO. 12.

The Daily Press.

HONGKONG, JANUARY 10TH, 1890.

We publish today some extracts from President HARRISON's annual message to the Congress of the United States. The advocates of bimetallism will be somewhat disappointed with the views therein expressed on the silver question. President Harrison is afraid that any considerable increase in the silver coinage at the present ratio would be disastrous, and he gives a very guarded approval to Secretary WINDOM's scheme. According to his scheme the Treasury would issue notes against deposits of silver bullion at the market price of silver at the time when deposited, payable on demand in such quantities of silver bullion as will equal in value, at the date of presentation, the number of dollars expressed on the face of the notes, at the market price of silver, or in gold at Government option, or in silver dollars at the holder's option. Under this plan the United States might be opened for the free importation of silver, its market value being paid in Treasury notes. These notes would be redeemable in the quantity of silver which could be purchased by the number of dollars expressed on the face of the notes or in gold; the notes to be receivable for customs, taxes, and the public debts, when received to be re-issued; such notes to be counted as lawful portions of the National Bank's reserves. While this scheme would no doubt give some increase to the demand for silver and economise the use of gold it would not restore the former metal to its old position as money, but would treat it simply as merchandise against which advances are made and which is subject to fluctuations of value. A San Francisco contemporary says the President should see that there is no warrant in the Constitution for the emission of money on such a basis, any more than there would be for issuing certificates upon a deposit of wheat or rice at its market value; and the use of the expression "market value"

shows that the President still has the idea of measuring silver by the standard of gold. So long as the single standard is maintained and silver accorded nothing more than a mercantile value only small relief can be afforded by any scheme from the difficulties caused by the appreciation of gold. Mr. GIFFEN had an article in the November number of the *Nineteenth Century* attempting to prove that the demand for them as money exercised a much smaller influence in determining the value of the precious metals than the demand for them in the arts and manufactures. In the December number of the same magazine Mr. GIFFEN has replied to Professor MORISON. While no doubt the demand for gold and silver for artistic and industrial purposes operates in the same way as the demand for any other article, its influence is small as compared with the value given to the metal by the potentiality of their use as money. The demonetisation of silver in Europe naturally led to an appreciation of gold, the demand for the latter being necessarily largely increased, as it had not only to take the place of silver to a great extent in the then existing currency but had to bear along the strain of the demand for an expansion of the currency to meet the requirements of the world's constantly expanding commerce. The annual supply of gold now, it is said, is scarcely more than is consumed in the arts, and that being so it is manifestly insufficient to supply the currency demands of rapidly increasing populations such as those of the United States and Great Britain, with their still more rapidly growing commerce.

The Colonial Chaplain (Rev. W. Jennings) will hold a service (Communion) at the Peak Church on Sunday morning at 8 o'clock.

We hear that Lieut. J. Hengh, first lieutenant on board H.M.S. *Pompey*, has been appointed to the command of H.M.S. *Rattler*.

The Customs revenue cruiser *Kao Po*, having completed her docking yesterday afternoon, steamed direct to Castle Peak Bay to take up her station as receiving ship for the searching officers of the Canton Customs.

The Government and Consular flag were yesterday half-masted as a tribute of respect to the late Sir Alexander Gordon, who died at 10 a.m. a mercantile service was held by the Rev. F. Hartman on board the German gannet *Rhein*, which was attended by Mr. G. Coates, German Consul, and numerous members of the German community.

We have received the *Japan Directory* for 1890, published at the office of the *Japan Gazette*, Yokohama. It seems to have been carefully revised and brought up to date, and the appendices contain several new features, chief among them being the new Constitution of Japan, the new will of the Emperor, and many other documents of interest. The *Japan Gazette* is well printed and neatly bound in red cloth. A plan of Yokohama on a large scale, well executed in colours, is given free with the book.

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2. Report of Committee considering Vaccination Bill.

3. Correspondence regarding drainage of the hill district.

The following Squadron Circular has been issued by Rear-Admiral George R. BELKNAP, commanding the United States Forces on the Asiatic Station:

FLASHER, "OHIO," Yokohama, Japan, December 18, 1889.

Commanding officers are notified that by a general order received the date from the Headquarters of the Navy, dated 10th ult., a mercantile ship, Germany, as at 10 a.m. a mercantile service was held by the Rev. F. Hartman on board the German gannet *Rhein*, which was attended by Mr. G. Coates, German Consul, and numerous members of the German community.

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WASHINGTON, 18th December.
The United States Minister to Paris reports that the Imperial Bank of Paris began business on October 23rd. The concession was granted to Baron Renot, and the capital was obtained in England.

Mr. Prendergast, 18th December.
The Journal de St. Petersburg considers the fact that Austria permitted the present Bulgarian loan to be effected in Vienna a violation of the Berlin treaty. The loan was negotiated in defiance of anterior claims upon Bulgaria, and the carrying out of its provisions will be tantamount to a seizure of national property.

Berlin, 18th December.
Information has been received that an English officer and sailor have been arrested at St. Petersburg for complicity in an attempt on the life of the Czar.

MADEIRA, 18th December.
There has been an explosion in the Kremes mines. Fifteen injured persons have been brought to port. The number of dead is yet unknown.

London, 18th December.
Mrs. Booth, wife of the commander of the Salvation Army, is dying with a cancer.

The mangled body of a woman has been found among the ballast of a vessel at Middleborough. The police suspect that this is another victim of "Jack the Ripper," and the presence of the body in the ballast is a confirmation to the theory that the murderer is a sailor.

Robert Browning's new volume came into the world on the day its author was called from it. The poet died at an early hour this morning at the Palazzo Rezzonico, Venice, the residence of his son. An amputation in an attack of bronchitis was followed by a relapse complicated by asthma. He had just time to record that his last volume of poetry had received a cordial greeting from his countrymen when the famous man is silent.

We notice that a Grand Prize, the high at award at the Universal Exhibition of 1889, has been obtained by Messes. Roger & Gallot, of Paris, for the superior quality and elegance of their preparations.

COMMERCIAL INTELLIGENCE.

THURSDAY, 9th January.

EXPORT CARGOES.

Steamer Oceanus sailed on the 28th December, 1889, for New Zealand, for 1,450 cases of merchandise. For Penang, 26,727 bags rice, 195 bags beans, 44 bags sugar, 59 bags pepper, 43 bags tapioca, 200 bags coffee, 1,433 boxes oil, 30 boxes prepared opium, 217 rolls matting, 37 cases silks, 50 packages cassia, 2,060 bags hemp, 240 bags cinnamon, 155 bags guano, and 7,881 packages merchandise. For Honolulu, 480 bags beans, 50 bags oil, and 500 packages merchandise. For Ceylon, 1,000 bags rice, 100 bags beans, 5 cases silks. For San José de Guatimal, 2 cases silks. For Funchal, 12 cases silks, and 2 cases merchandise. For Funchal, 10 cases silks, and 1 case merchandise. For Pana-100 bags rice, 4 cases silks, and 14 packages merchandise. For Valparaíso, 10 cases silks, and 2 cases merchandise. For Guayaquil, 10 cases silks, and 1 case merchandise. For Callao, 8 cases of rice, and 10 cases merchandise. For New York, 7 cases hats, 18 cases silks, 501 bags raw silk, and 3 cases raw silk.

OPIUM.

Quotations are—

New Malwa, \$520 per picul, alls, of 18 cases.

Last year's New Malwa, \$530 per picul, alls, of 19 to 21 cases.

Old Malwa, \$540 per picul, alls, of 19 to 21 cases.

Older Malwa, \$540 per picul, alls, of 19 to 21 cases.

British (New), \$517 to \$520 per chest.

Per O.H., \$515.

Business (New), \$517.

EXCHANGE.

ON LONDON—Telegraphic Transfer, \$11.

Bank Bills, on demand, \$11.

Bank Bills, at 30 days' sight, \$11.

Bank Bills, 60 & 90 months' sight, \$12.

Credits, at 4 months' sight, \$12.

Documentary Bills, at 4 months' sight, \$12.

On PARIS—Bank Bills, on demand, \$12.

Credits, 4 months' sight, \$12.

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On HAMBURG—Bank Bills, on demand, \$12.

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On CALCUTTA—Bank Bills, on demand, \$12.

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On SHANGHAI—Bank Bills, on demand, \$12.

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On MELBOURNE—Bank Bills, on demand, \$12.

Credits, 4 months' sight, \$12.

Bank Bills, at 30 days' sight, \$11.

Bank Bills, 60 & 90 months' sight, \$12.

Credits, at 4 months' sight, \$12.

On ADELAIDE—Bank Bills, on demand, \$12.

Credits, 4 months' sight, \$12.

Bank Bills, at 30 days' sight, \$11.

Bank Bills, 60 & 90 months' sight, \$12.

Credits, at 4 months' sight, \$12.

On MELBOURNE—Bank Bills, on demand, \$12.

Credits, 4 months' sight, \$12.

Bank Bills, at 30 days' sight, \$11.

Bank Bills, 60 & 90 months' sight, \$12.

Credits, at 4 months' sight, \$12.

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COMMERCIAL UNION ASSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

CAPITAL \$2,500,000
INVESTED FUNDS upwards of \$2,000,000
ANNUAL NET INCOME \$120,000

The Undersigned, having been appointed Agents for the above Company, are prepared to issue POLICIES OF INSURANCE against FIRE at Current Rates.

S. OLTERFORT & HIRST.
Hongkong, 17th December, 1889. [1260]

THE INDIAN IMPERIAL MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

The Undersigned, having been appointed Agents for the above Company, are prepared to accept MARINE RISKS at Current Rates.

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.
Hongkong, 6th November, 1889. [128]

FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, OF 1877 IN HAMBURG.

The Undersigned, having been appointed Agents for the above Company, are prepared to accept ACCEPTE RISKS against FIRE at Current Rates.

JARRELL, MATTHESON & Co., General Manager.

Hongkong, 28th August, 1889. [143]

REUTER, BROCKELMANN & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, 1st July, 1889. [145]

TRANSATLANTIC FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY OF HAMBURG.

The Undersigned, having been appointed Agents for the above Company, are prepared to accept ACCEPTE RISKS against FIRE at Current Rates.

SIRMESS & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, 16th November, 1872. [15]

GENERAL LIFE AND FIRE ASSURANCE COMPANY IN LONDON.

THE Undersigned, having been appointed Agents for the above Company, are prepared to accept ACCEPTE RISKS against FIRE and LIFE at Current Rates.

REUTER, BROCKELMANN & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, 1st July, 1889. [178]

THE HENRY FIRE OFFICE.

The Undersigned are now prepared to grant POLICIES OF INSURANCE against FIRE at Current Rates.

DOUGLAS LA PRAIRIE & Co., Agents for the Fire & Life Offices.

Hongkong, 17th August. [16]

NOTICE.

QUEEN FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

The Undersigned, Agents for the above Company, are prepared to accept ACCEPTE RISKS against FIRE at Current Rates.

NORTON & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, 16th July, 1887. [164]

NORTH BRITISH & MERCANTILE INSURANCE COMPANY.

As Agents of the above Company we are prepared to accept RISKS against FIRE at Current rates.

RUSSELL & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, 2nd May, 1889. [192]

THE MAN ON INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

HEAD OFFICE—HONGKONG.

CAPITAL (SUBSCRIBED), \$1,000,000.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS.

LUM SIN SANG EGG, YOK CHONG FENG EGG, CHAN LI CHOT EGG, Q. HOI CHUNE, EGG.

Hongkong, 11th November, 1889. [193]

TO LET.

F. B. O. IN JANUARY, 1890.

HOUSE NO. 3, CASTLE ROAD.

The Company GRANTS POLICIES on MARINE RISKS to all parts of the World, payable at any of its Agencies.

Contributory Dividends are payable to all Contributors of Business, whether they are Shareholders or not.

WOO LIN YUEN, Secretary.

HEAD OFFICE, No. 2, Queen's Road West, Hongkong, 14th March, 1881. [1949]

THE NORISH GERMAN FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY OF HAMBURG.

The Undersigned, having been appointed Agents for the above Company, are prepared to grant INSURANCES to the extent of \$100,000, on first-class risks at our rates.

DUNN, MELBY & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, 16th February, 1889. [17]

THE CHINA FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

ESTABLISHED 1870.

HEAD OFFICE—HONGKONG.

CAPITAL TWO MILLION DOLLARS.

PAID UP CAPITAL \$400,000

RESERVE FUND 650,000

CLAIMS PAID 710,000

BONUSES PAID 400,000

RISKS ACCEPTED AT CURRENT RATES OF PREMIA.

JAS. B. COUGHTERIE, Secretary.

Hongkong, 3rd July, 1889. [173]

FOR SALE CHINA.

1 SELF-ACTING Screw Cutting extra heavy bed LATHE, length of bed 16 feet, extended to extend to 28 feet when required; height from centre to bottom of Gap 34 inches; fitted with extra broad Compound Slides Rest for heavy turning, with Fixtures and Tools all complete, by Hind & Sons; weight about 9 tons. 1 Self-tightening Screw cutting extra heavy LATHE, length of bed 8 feet, height of centre to bottom of Gap 24 inches; fitted with Fixtures and Tools all complete, by Hind & Sons; 1 SLOTTING MACHINE 10' stroke with Tool Box, by London Bros. 1 Lathes new Boxes and COMPOUND ENGINE; the Boiler is 6 feet 9 inches by 4 feet 6 inches, Cylinders of Engine are 8 inches & 4 inches diameter by 10 inches stroke. 1 POWERED STEAMER, 10' x 6' 6" overall, Cylinders 6 inches, 300 lbs. pressure, 4 strokes, 1 MANUFACTURED STEAMER, 10' x 6' 6" overall, Cylinders 6 inches, 300 lbs. pressure, 4 strokes. 1 HORIZONTAL and 1 DIAGONAL GEARED STEAM WINCHES, 7 inches in diameter and 12 inch stroke; 1 SCREWING MACHINE with back Gear, and Taps and Dies complete. 1 New FIELD BOILER 10 H.P. 1 Box TAPS & Dies from 1/2 to 2 in. with master Taps. 8 boxes of Taps & Dies of various sizes. 2 Eng. Tools. 1 GEARING MACHINE. 1 S. D. D. D. 1 New MARINE STEERING WHEEL, 16 feet in diameter, 2 New MARINE STEERING WHEELS, 16 feet by 5 feet 10 inches in diameter, and fitted with 4 Galloway's Tubes to each. Apply to the Godown in Cross Lane at the Back of No. 145, Wan Chai Road. Hongkong, 4th November, 1889. [1839]

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CUTLERY—PALMER'S.

Analysed and Certified by Professor

ASSAULT—Each bottle bears his Certificate of Purity. The Wine is as designated.

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SIEMMSEN & Co., STUDIO 10, HOUSE LANE.

TO BE LET.

ROOMS IN "COLLEGES CHAMBERS."

Apply to

DAVID SASSON, SONS & Co.

Hongkong, 24th November, 1889. [140]

TO BE LET.

SECOND FLOOR, Western half of (Marine) Telegraph House from 1st January.

"THE HOMESTEAD", Mt. Kelet.

A PORTION OF "BRAGGFIELD ARCADE," "BISNIE VILLA," POPOLO.

BREEZY POINT, BUNHAM ROAD.

Apply to

SHARP & Co.,

BRAGGFIELD ARCADE.

Hongkong, 11th November, 1889. [141]

TO LET.

THE TOP FLOOR of the Premises in ICE HOUSE LANE belonging to the HONGKONG ICE CO., LTD., suitable for OFFICES. Possession on 1st October next.

Apply to the MANAGER, BRAGGFIELD ARCADE, JARRELL, MATTHESON & Co., General Manager.

Hongkong, 28th August, 1889. [143]

TO LET.

"CRAIGELMACHE," 8, BONHAM ROAD.

Apply to LINSTEAD & DAVIS.

Hongkong, 5th October, 1889. [146]

OFFICE OR BEDROOM TO LET.

A NICE & COMMODIOUS ROOM suitable as an OFFICE or BEDROOM in a Central position close to the CLOCK TOWER. Rent, Dollars 25 per month.

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Hongkong, 1st October, 1889. [145]

TO LET.

WITH IMMEDIATE POSSESSION.

THE HOUSE NO. 10, ABSURDNOT ROAD, the Residence of the late Hon. Dr. STEWART.

Apply to J. A. DE CARVALHO.

Hongkong, 11th December, 1889. [153]

TO LET.

WILL BE EXHIBITED ON WEDNESDAY NEXT, THE 8th INST.

A COMFORTABLE BED ROOM (UN-FURNISHED) Suitable for Bachelor. Three minutes walk from Clock Tower. Rent 20 per month.

Apply to F. V. BEENAN.

Hongkong, 2nd November, 1889. [151]

TO LET.

SPANISH PROCURATION.

Hongkong, 17th December, 1889. [153]

TO BE LET.

DESIRABLE OFFICES & GODOWNS.

No. 13, Praya Central.

Apply to STOLTERFORT & HIRST.

Hongkong, 8th October, 1889. [147]

TO LET.

THE HOUSE NO. 1 & 2, "CAMERON VILLAS," Peak.

Agents for the above.

ONE SPACIOUS FIVE ROOMED HOUSE at MOUNT KELLET, Peak. Gas laid on.

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Hongkong, 16th February, 1889. [17]

TO LET.

BELLIOS & Co.

Hongkong, 8th January, 1890. [127]

WANTED.

A BOOKKEEPER and CORRESPONDENT for the MARINEBUREAU FURNITURE COMPANY, LIMITED.

Apply by letter, stating qualifications and salary expected.

J. MARINBUREAU,

Manager, College Chambers.

Hongkong, 4th January, 1890. [114]

HONGKONG RIFLE ASSOCIATION.

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A. SHELTON HOOPER,

Honorary Secretary, Care of Hongkong Club.

Hongkong, 8th January, 1890. [137]

WANTED.

HARMONIUM—Good, Second Hand.

Address, "NEMO," Care of Daily Press Office.

Hongkong, 8th January, 1890. [150]

THE BEST—Only one quality consigned.

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Perfectly pure Bordeaux, not loaded to please.

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Hongkong, 14th November, 1889. [185]

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